

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/567,295

Filing Date: February 6, 2006

Applicant: Todd Wirges et al

Group Art Unit: to be assigned

Examiner: to be assigned

Confirmation No.: 8486

Title: SWITCHABLE HYDROBUSHING

Attorney Docket: 03-0028/US1 (8470-000046/NPB)

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**REFUND SECTION, ACCOUNTING DIVISION, OFFICE OF FINANCE**

Director of the USPTO

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR REFUND**  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a))

**I. SUBMISSION OF SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT**

Attached is a statement claiming small entity status in this application.  
 A statement claiming small entity status was filed in this application on \_\_\_\_\_.

**II. REFUND REQUEST**

This request for refund is made within two months of the date a fee was paid in this application on September 11, 2006, in the amount of \$130.

NOTE: The two-month period (§ 1.28(a)) is not included in the provisions for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 because it is not a period for response. Notice of November 30, 1983, 49 FR 548, January 4, 1984. (37 C.F.R. 1.28(a)).

### III. FEES PAID FOR WHICH REFUND IS REQUESTED

	Amount of Refund Requested
Filing fee	\$ _____
Surcharge for filing the basic filing fee on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 CFR 1.16(e) or 37 CFR 1.16(l)).	\$ _____
<b>or</b>	
Surcharge for filing the oath or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 CFR 1.16(e)).	<u>\$130</u>
Surcharge for filing the basic filing fee on a date later than the filing date of the provisional application (37 CFR § 1.51(c)(1) and 37 CFR § 1.16(l)).	\$ _____
<b>or</b>	
Surcharge for filing the cover sheet on a date later than the filing date of the provisional application (37 CFR § 1.51(c)(1) and 37 CFR § 1.16(l)).	\$ _____
Extension of term	\$ _____
Issue fee	\$ _____
Patent maintenance fee	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> first maintenance	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> second maintenance fee	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> third maintenance fee	\$ _____

Patent maintenance fee surcharge \$ \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: The refund provisions of § 1.28(a), for later submitted small entity statements, apply to maintenance fees. Notice of July 30, 1984, 1046 O.G. 28-37.

Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED** **\$130.00**

**IV. MANNER OF REFUND**

Please make refund by:

crediting Account No. 08-0750  
 refunding overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 9-11-06

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